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In re Applicant:	§	
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Serial No.: 10/633,873	§	Examiner: Ahmed N. Sefer
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Filed: August 4, 2003	§	Atty Docket: TTO.0048US
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For: Processing Phase Change	§	
Material to Improve	§	Assignee: Intel Corporation
Programming Speed	§	

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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT APPEAL BRIEF**

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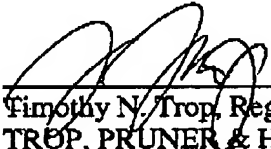
In response to the Notification of Non-Compliant Appeal Brief mailed September 2, 2008, reconsideration is requested.

It is believed that the Notification was issued in error, apparently not appreciating that only claim 23 is the subject of the Appeal Brief. It is beyond question that the Appeal Brief is completely compliant with respect to claim 23.

If the objection is to be maintained, it is requested that the undersigned be contacted by telephone so that a timely petition can be filed.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: September 25, 2008

  
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